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LETTER PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. 1.54

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Enclosed herewith is the specification for the above captioned patent application. The inventor's Declaration and Power of Attorney will be filed shortly to complete the application pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.53(d). It is therefore respectfully requested that the application be accorded a filing date of <u>July 8, 2003</u> in conformance with Patent Office Rules 10, 53 and 54.

Respectfully submitted.

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